

SDSS SN Handscan Schedule: 2006

Scanning Protocol:

The schedule indicates dates on which people should be available to scan from approximately 12 pm - 12 AM local time. If you have a conflict, let me know ASAP so we can reschedule. If you do not contact me, I'll assume you will be available to scan on the indicated dates below. If an emergency comes up and you cannot scan on that date, contact the alternate for that date as soon as possible and also copy me (frieman@fnal.gov); contact email addresses and phone numbers (in cases I have them) are available at: http://sdssdp47.fnal.gov/sdssn_data/sdssn.html (with the usual SDSS userid and password) and click on Contact Info. Specific scan instructions (run/rerun/template/camcol) will be sent out by email once a given run starts processing. I will also shortly post this schedule, with updates, on the website above. Once you've started scanning a run, you will be expected to complete that run, even if data from the last template comes in after midnight on your scan date; in that case, you can complete your scanning the following morning--if you cannot be available to finish off your scanning in this instance, then you must contact the alternate listed for the next date (that is, for the date after your scan date) and ask them to complete your scan--also notify me in this case.

This may appear confusing, but it worked last year, so let's continue in this mode and see how it goes. Note that, due to weather, etc, there may be days on which you luck out and don't need to scan.

If you have questions about the schedule, contact me (frieman@fnal.gov). For questions about scanning, for example, missing gifs, other evident problems, or a question about how to classify a particular ambiguous object, send email to supernova-dp@fnal.gov. The scan page is at http://sdssdp47.fnal.gov/sdssn_data/handscan/initial_manual_scan.php. The Manual Scan Guide is at http://sdssdp47.fnal.gov/sdssn_data/handscan/guide_manual_scan.html. There are links to these pages from the main SDSS SN web page in the first paragraph above.

If you are about to scan and have never scanned before, please contact me by email so we can just check the first time that you understand the system.

IMPORTANT: This year, we are separately scanning 1st epochs and 2nd-plus epochs: for each column you scan, you first do it with, e.g., the 2nd-epoch button activated and then go back and do the bright 1st epoch objects, of which there will typically only be a few. Note that the 'magnitude cut' entry is not activated when you scan 2nd-epoch objects, only for 1st epoch objects; the default is 20th mag, but the email reminders on scanning may ask you to use a different value.

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Scan Date	Run	CC 1	CC 2	CC 3	CC 4	CC 5	CC 6	Alternate
9/2		JF	JF	BD	BD	RK	RK	MTS
9/3		PG	PG	HL	HL	GM	GM	MR
9/4		BB	BB	MTS	MTS	KV	KV	BD
9/5		BD	BD	JF	JF	RK	RK	PG
9/6		MR	MR	CC	CC	SJ	SJ	BB
9/7		GM	GM	PG	PG	HL	HL	RK
9/11		BD	BD	BB	BB	FD	FD	JM
9/12		RK	RK	KV	KV	CC	CC	PG
9/13		SJ	SJ	MR	MR	JF	JF	BB
9/14		DC	DC	HL	HL	PG	PG	RK
9/15		FD	FD	GM	GM	BD	BD	DC
9/16		KV	KV	RK	RK	JM	JM	JF
9/17		JF	JF	SJ	SJ	MR	MR	HL
9/18		FD	FD	DC	DC	BB	BB	GM
9/19		PG	PG	BD	BD	HL	HL	MR
9/20		AB	AB	GM	GM	RK	RK	JM
9/21		BB	BB	JF	JF	DC	DC	SJ
9/22		MTS	MTS	PG	PG	FD	FD	AB
9/23		HL	HL	AB	AB	KV	KV	JM
9/24		RK	RK	SJ	SJ	GM	GM	FD
9/25		BB	BB	MTS	MTS	JF	JF	KV
9/26		BD	BD	MR	MR	AB	AB	GM
9/27		FD	FD	JM	JM	HL	HL	CC
9/28		DC	DC	RK	RK	MTS	MTS	AB
9/29		AB	AB	BB	BB	BD	BD	JF
9/30		GM	GM	FD	FD	MR	MR	DC